Troopers Investigating Pharmacy Robbery – Newark

Newark – The Delaware State Police are investigating the armed robbery of a Newark area Walgreens that occurred Tuesday night.

The incident occurred at approximately 9:55 p.m., Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at the Walgreen's pharmacy, located at 15 University Plaza, Newark. A male suspect approached the employee at the sales counter and proceeded to make a purchase. As the employee opened the register to complete the transaction the suspect produced a note, announcing a robbery. He also stated and implied that he was armed. The suspect then reached in to the register and removed an undisclosed amount of cash before fleeing the business in an unknown direction. The employee was not injured as a result of the incident.

The suspect was described as a black male, 5'3"-5'5" tall, thin build, wearing a light colored sweatshirt, dark pants and a cloth covering his face.

No surveillance images are available at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this incident are asked to contact the Troop 2 Robbery Unit by calling 302-365-8566.

Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com

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